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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment and Request for Continued Examination (RCE) in the above-identified application.

- [] No additional fee is required.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 503650.
- [X] Also attached: RCE Transmittal (2 pgs); Amendment and RCE (6 pgs); Petition for Extension of Time (1 pg).

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